

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA	:	CRIMINAL NO. <u>09-</u>
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<u>v.</u>	:	DATE FILED: <u>August , 2009</u>
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JAMES GAUTIERI	:	VIOLATION:
	:	18 U.S.C. § 32(a)(5) (destruction of
	:	aircraft or aircraft facilities - 1 count)

INDICTMENT

COUNT ONE

THE GRAND JURY CHARGES THAT:

On or about April 30, 2008, in Philadelphia, in the Eastern District of
Pennsylvania, defendant,

JAMES GAUTIERI,

with a reckless disregard for the safety of human life, interfered with, and attempted to interfere
with, an individual engaged in the authorized operation of an aircraft, that is, defendant
GAUTIERI shined a laser light into the eyes of a Philadelphia Police Department helicopter pilot
flying a routine patrol in the airways over the City of Philadelphia.

In violation of Title 18, United States Code, Section 32(a)(5), (a)(8).

A TRUE BILL:

GRAND JURY FOREPERSON

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